ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

BOARD OF OFFICERS

—OF THE—

Town of West Rutland,

—FOR THE—

Year Ending Feb. 15, 1890.

RUTLAND:
THE TUTTLE COMPANY, PRINTERS.
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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To the Taxpayers of West Rutland:

Your selectmen have drawn eighty-nine orders the past year, as follows:

General account, fifty-seven; on special account, one; on highway account, twelve; on liquor agency account, sixteen; and for bills contracted by previous board, three.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Fifty-seven orders drawn on general account amount to $2,704.07; of this sum the amount paid the overseer, $300.00, taxes on town farm, $69.48, are chargeable to poor expenses. Interest on the town bonds amounting to $875.00, interest on United States surplus fund to $386.54, are compulsory expenditures. Orders drawn on account of sheep being killed by dogs, amounting to $84.00, is not an expense to the town, as there is a balance on hand of dog fund amounting to $30.80. These items, together with $153.00 paid as salaries to the town officers of the previous year, amount to $1,868.02; deducting this from the $2,704.07, it leaves $836.05 which is the amount your selectmen expended in running town affairs, and this amount includes the price of the new iron bridge on Clarendon avenue, with work on abutments, also work on Ross street sewer, and money paid for work done by the listers, and is a more favorable showing than last year.

SPECIAL ACCOUNT.

Order No. 77 was not really an expenditure, but a voucher to the town treasurer for the payment of the 10 cent school tax voted at the last town meeting.

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

Your selectmen have drawn 12 orders on the highway fund, amounting to $2,679.80. Of this amount $265.00 was paid for a road machine, which leaves a balance on hand of highway fund of $112.84. Owing to the large amount of rain the past year the highways have needed more than ordinary repairs. In purchasing the road machine your selectmen have felt that that they were supplying a long-felt want, and the coming year will witness a revolution in road repairing. The highways in town are in better condition than ever before, and an itemized account of the highway fund will be found annexed to this report.

TOWN LIQUOR AGENCY.

On account of the resignation of Mr. White, the County Commissioner appointed Mr. C. W. Green town liquor agent, and he entered upon the duties of his office August 10th. On account of his giving his entire time to his duties, the board paid him $30 a month, which is $5 more than was paid his predecessor. His report will be found on another page; and in connection with the amount of liquor sold there should be taken into consideration the fact that the people of Ira, Tinmouth and other surrounding towns, which have no agencies, come to West Rutland for liquor for medicinal purposes.

BRIDGES.

Two new bridges have been built on the causeway, one opposite the cheese factory, also one near the Ira line, the past year. The bridge opposite the Mead place on Clarendon avenue, has been an eyesore for some time, and your selectmen thought it a matter of economy to substitute the wooden structure with an iron bridge. The bridge was built by the Berlin Iron Bridge Co. of East Berlin, Conn., and placed in position for $285, to our entire satisfaction.

The bridge has fourteen 7-inch steel beams, and the cost, when compared with the cost of the iron bridge at the depot, which was $505.36, is indeed a favorable comparison. It is unnecessary to comment on the economy of building iron bridges, but would say that we think it good policy for the town to build at least one each year, wherever public travel requires.

OUTSTANDING ORDERS AND TAXES.

At the beginning of the year there was outstanding orders against the town amounting to $3,983.52, which had accumulated during the two preceding years. This year the outstanding orders have increased $826.71, which is due to the following cause: At the last town meeting a town tax of 25 cents on the dollar, a state tax of 20 cents, a school tax of 10 cents and a highway tax of 15 cents on the dollar was voted. It was also voted to allow to the taxpayer a discount of 4 per cent on all taxes paid on or before Oct. 1st. Now while a town can vote to give a discount on a state tax, a school tax and a highway tax, still the law compels a town to pay those taxes in full and whatever amount is discounted must be paid out of the town tax. Such we have been compelled to do during the past year, and the discount on those taxes, together with the abatements of the Board of Civil Authority, and the collector's fees, leave less than a tax of 20 cents on the dollar with which to pay the expenses of the town government for the past year.

NEW STREETS AND SEWERS.

Petitions are now on file in the selectmen's office, asking for the laying out and working of Franklin Avenue, on the Blanchard estate, and Harrison Avenue on the Thrall farm, but owing to the manner in which the taxes were discounted the board deemed it inadvisable. The sewer on

Barnes street was delayed for the same reason. The building of a sewer on Ross street was a public necessity, owing to the location of the town liquor agency.

THE TOWN FARM AND TOWN POOR.

As will be seen by the Overseer's report printed elsewhere, the poor expenses have been large the past year. The account as presented by him with deductions, amounts to $3,166.83, to which should be added $300.00 paid him and taxes on town farm amounting to $69.48, which makes a total of $3,536.31.

The views of the present board of Selectmen concerning the management of the town farm and town poor, are well known, and in the attempts we have made to better the condition of affairs at the town farm, the members of the board have been unanimous in their action and views.

We not only think the system is wrong, but that the manner in which the system has been carried out the past year has shown a gross disregard for the interests of the tax-payers of our town.

As a remedy for the existing state of affairs, we quote from the report of the previous board, in whose suggestions we heartily concur :

While your Selectmen believe that all the deserving poor should receive proper assistance and while they appreciate that in a manufacturing town, the poor expenses will always be a prominent item, they believe that under a different system, the cost of the poor could be materially decreased, and at the same time, that those deserving town aid could be as well taken care of as under the method which has prevailed in the past. They therefore recommend that the tax-payers of the town do elect as overseer of the poor, the board of Selectmen, and that if necessary they instruct the board to make a contract with some

responsible party, who can give bonds, and let that party take the town farm and take care of the inmates of the town house and the outside poor.

In conclusion, your Selectmen would say, that while much remains to be done, we have earnestly endeavored to curtail the running expenses of the town, which seemed to be the desire of each and every member of the board. Our every action has been taken with the unanimous approval of the board.

Respectfully,

W. K. SHELDON,
MICHAEL KENNEDY, } Selectmen.
M. W. CANNON,

ORDERS DRAWN FOR BILLS CONTRACTED BY PREVIOUS BOARD.

No.	Date.		Amount.
9	April 6	Tuttle Co., printing town reports..	$ 59 20
21	June 27	Pitkin & Huse, legal service during legislature of 1888.....	40 00
22	July 3	Mrs. E. R. Copps, rent and recording to March 6	18 95
			$118 15

Orders Drawn by Selectmen

ON GENERAL ACCOUNT.

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No.	Date.			Amount.
	1889.			
1	Mar.	9	Dr. Kinne, service during diphtheria	$ 12 00
2			Dr. Stearns, " " "	12 00
3			M. McLaughlin " "	12 00
4	April	6	W. A. Thrall, services as auditor, 1888	14 00
5			D. D. Hewitt, services as auditor, 1888	14 00
6			Dan McCarthy, services as auditor, 1888	14 00
7			W. K. Sheldon, clerk selectmen	25 00
8			H. H. Brown, services treasurer	50 00
12		27	Jas. D. Dernier, timber for bridges	30 00
13	May	1	Merchants National Bank, interest on town bonds	437 50
14			Jas. C. Gillespie, services as lister.	52 00
15		11	W. A. Thrall, " "	30 00
16		25	John H. Mead, " "	47 00
18	June	22	Jas. C. Gillespie, making tax book	20 00
19			Edward Walsh, damage to horse on Cyr bridge April 1	7 00
20		27	R. M. Spaulding, lumber highway bridges	20 71
24	Aug.	2	Patrick Keveny, work town farm.	150 00
25		10	F. Chaffee & Son, plank highway bridges	62 31

27	Aug.	21	Tuttle Company, tax and receipt books, M. McLaughlin	$7 00
28			Judah Dana, services superintendent of schools, itemized account rendered	50 20
30		24	Michael Kerrigan, tax 1888 abated	1 00
31	Sept.	14	Michael Moran, old poll tax 1888 abated	1 00
32		14	M. W. Cannon, paid freight road machine	5 40
33		25	M. McLaughlin, tax on town farm	60 48
36	Oct.	5	Patrick Keveny, work town farm.	60 00
37		12	Berlin Iron Bridge Co., iron bridge on Clarendon Avenue	285 00
40		25	Tuttle Company, supplies town clerk's office	12 27
41		28	Merchants National Bank, interest on town bonds	437 50
43	Nov.	1	M. W. Cannon, labor and material iron bridge abutments (see itemized account)	46 93
44	Dec.	4	Sheldon Marble Co., lumber highway	3 13
46			Mrs. E. R. Copps, six months rent	20 00
47		7	F. A. Morse, lumber for highway bridges	15 53
48			Patrick Kenny, sheep killed by dogs	9 00
49			Frank Smith, sheep killed by dogs	3 00
50			Bradley Reynolds, sheep killed by dogs	20 00
51			Edward Boardman, sheep killed by dogs	5 00
52			O. D. Young, sheep killed by dogs	31 00
53			Thomas Burke, sheep killed by dogs	5 00

54	Dec.	M. W. Cannon, appraising sheep killed	
55	9	John O'Rourke, appraising sheep killed	9 00
56	20	M. W. Cannon, extending Ross street sewer (see itemized bill)	2 00
	1890.		25 50
57	Jan. 1	Patrick Keveny, work town farm	90 00
59	18	R. H. Walkins, fence wire district No. 7	15 31
60		F. A. Morse, lumber highway bridges	3 00
61	25	James Battles, clerk, work district, No. 8	1 20
62		James S. Lincoln, school tax town farm	9 00
63	Feb. 1	F. A. McCarthy, clerk, work district No. 7	10 50
64	8	A. A. Kidder, rent to March 5, 1890	36 00
65		A. A. Kidder, oil, paper, envelopes, selectmen's office	84
66		Chas. A. Parker, clerk, work central district	1 50
67		M. W. Cannon, clerk work, district No. 6	1 05
68		Mrs. E. R. Copp, 3 months rent	10 00
69		M. W. Cannon, legal fees, clerk town meeting	2 00
70		Jas. D. Dernier, clerk, work, Dist. 21	7 05
74	14	F. A. Morse, paper, envelopes, etc., selectmen and listers	5 62
75		John H. Mead, taking inventory town farm	1 00
76		Interest on U. S. Deposit fund, school fund	386 54
		Total	$2,704 07

ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN ON SPECIAL ACCOUNT.

77	Feb. 14	School fund account, 10 per cent on grand list, 1889, transferred from general account to school fund account	$2,307 40

ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN ON ACCOUNT OF LIQUOR AGENCY.

	1889.		
10	April 6	James A. Webb, alcohol	$101 05
11		E. H. White, 2 months salary to April 1	50 00
17	June 7	James A. Webb, alcohol	97 10
23	Aug. 2	James A. Webb, alcohol	99 20
26	21	H. A. Blanchard & Co., liquor	378 75
29		E. H. White, services to Aug. 1	100 00
34	25	James A. Webb, alcohol	97 10
35	Sept. 28	Columbia Distilling Co., alcohol	92 00
38	Oct. 19	Columbia Distilling Co., alcohol	92 00
39	25	E. H. White, paid freight and cartage	12 01
42	Nov. 1	C. W. Green, 3 months salary to Nov. 10	90 00
45	Dec. 4	Columbia Distilling Co., alcohol	187 00
	1890.		
58	Jan. 1	Columbia Distilling Co., alcohol	185 00
71	Feb. 8	C. W. Green, 4 months salary to Feb. 10	120 00
72		H. A. Blanchard & Co., liquor	598 75
73		Columbia Distilling Co., alcohol	186 00
			$2,485 96

ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN ON HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

1889.

1	April	27	M. W. Cannon	$ 50 00
2	June	1	M. Kennedy	300 00
3		6	W. K. Sheldon	250 00
4			M. W. Cannon	300 00
5		27	M. W. Cannon	250 00
6			M. Kennedy	400 00
7	Sept.	12	M. W. Cannon	200 00
8		23	S. F. Sterling, road machine	265 00
9		28	M. Kennedy	200 00
10	Oct.	25	M. W. Cannon	200 00
11	Feb.	14	W. K. Sheldon	100 00
12		14	M. Kennedy	164 80
			Total amount orders drawn	$2,679 80
			Amount collected $2,792 64	
			Balance on hand	112 84
			$2,792 64	$2,792 64

MONEY EXPENDED IN HIGHWAY ACCOUNT BY W. K. SHELDON.

WORK ON SHELDON AVENUE.

June 7.	Thos. Phalen,	labor	$ 7 00
	Jas. D. Dernier,	"	21 00
	P. Dwyer,	"	22 75
	John Raleigh,	"	36 75
	C. H. Campbell,	"	55 00
	T. Thornton,	"	3 13
	John Reagan,	"	5 00
	John Madden,	"	7 50

June 7.	Edw. Rogers,	"	$ 6 25
	M. Dwyer,	"	8 75
	Jno. Carmody,	"	8 75
	Thos. Dwyer,	"	10 50
	Sheldon & Sons, gravel		13 70
			$206 08
Feb. 15.	Sheldon Marble Co., work on Marble street		143 92
			$350 00

MONEY EXPENDED BY MICHAEL KENNEDY.

WORK IN MARCH, 1889.

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
William H. Smith, shoveler, 8th, ¾d.	¾	$1 25	$ 0 93
Michael Mulheran, " 8th, 1d. 11th, ½d.	1½	1 25	1 87
John Killelea, shoveler, 8th, 1d. 11th, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
Timothy Crowley, shoveler, 11th, ½d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
John Groonell, shoveler, 11th, ½d. 23d, 1d.	1½	1 25	1 87
John Patten, shoveler, 28th, ½d.	½	1 25	62
Patrick Gallagher, shoveler, 28th, ½d.	½	1 25	62
John Gurry, shoveler, 28th, ½d.	½	1 25	62
Michael Kennedy, 8th, 1d. 9th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 23d, 1d. 25th, 1d. 28th, 1d.	6	2 00	12 00
James M. Kennedy's team, 8th, 1d. 9th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 23d, ½d. 25th, 1d. 28th, 1d.	5½	3 50	19 25
Carried to April			$42 78

WORK IN APRIL.

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Edward McCabe's team, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.....	4	$3 50	$14 00
James Reid's team, 10th, ½d. 11th, ¾d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 20th, ½d..	3¾	2 25	8 43
James M. Kennedy's team, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 16th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, ½d. 20th, 1d. 27th, 1d.....	9½	3 50	33 25
James Carter's team, 15th, 1d. 16th, 1d. 17th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
James Carter, shoveler, 15th, 1d. 16th, 1d. 17th, 1d.....	3	1 25	3 75
Michael Kennedy, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 15th, 1d, 16th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, ½d. 20th, 1d. 27th, ½d.....	9	2 00	18 00
Patrick Gallagher, shoveler, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d....	3	1 25	3 75
Timothy Crowley, shoveler, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 20th, 1d.....	5	1 25	6 25
John Groonell, shoveler, 11th, ½d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.....	2½	1 25	3 12
Phil Lyons, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 20th, 1d.....	5	1 25	6 25
Dan Rourke, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.....	4	1 25	5 00
Tom Mullany, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
Patrick Dempsey, 15th, 1d. 16th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, ½d....	3½	1 25	4 37
John Battles, 17th, ½d.....	½	1 25	62

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
John Hannor, 16th, ½d. 17th, 1d.. .	1½	$1 25	$1 87
Thomas Cory, 27th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
			$125 41
James Reed, taking care of road at Deland crossing.....			2 00
			$127 41
Carried to May.....			$170 19

WORK IN MAY, 1889.

James Kennedy's team, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d.....	8	$3 50	$28 00
Charles Campbell's team, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
Henry Harmon's team, 22d, 1d.....	1	3 50	3 50
Edward McCabe's team, 22d, 1d. 23d. 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, ¾d.... ..	7¾	3 50	27 11
Judith Batece's team, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
Michael Kennedy, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d.....	8	2 00	16 00
William Gallagher, shoveler, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d.....	7	1 25	8 75
Thomas Mullany, shoveler, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d..	7½	1 25	9 37
Timothy Crowley, shoveler, 16th, 1d. 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	9	1 25	11 25

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Phil Lyons, shoveler, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d.....	8	$1 25	$10 00
Patrick Dempsey, shoveler, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d...	8	1 25	10 00
I. W. Sherman, shoveler, 28th, ½d..	½	1 25	62
John Groonell, shoveler, 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d...	8	1 25	10 00
Joseph Batece, shoveler, 29th ½d...	½	1 25	62
Arthur McKerney, " 31st, 1d...	1	1 25	1 25
			$157 47
Carried to June.....			$327 66

WORK IN JUNE, 1889.

James M. Kennedy's team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 22d, 1d.....	16	$3 50	$56 00
Edward McCabe's team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d.....	2	3 50	7 00
Thos. Phalen's team, 1st, 1d.....	1	3 50	3 50
Arthur McKerney's team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d....	9	3 50	31 50
James Battles' team, 1st, 1d, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d..	6	3 50	21 00
James Carter's team, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 18th, ½d. 22d, 1.....	8½	3 50	29 75

Raleigh Griswold's team, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 11th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 22d, 1d....	8½	$3 50	$29 75
John Hanley's team, 3d, 1d. 4th, ½d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d.....	4½	3 50	15 75
Whipple Mills team, 3d, ½d. 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.....	3½	3 50	12 25
Hiram Briggs' team, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
Samuel Parker's team, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
Michael Kennedy, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 22d, 1d.....	15	2 00	30 00
John Groonell, shoveler, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d...	9	1 25	11 25
Timothy Crowley, shoveler, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d.	9	1 25	11 25
Thomas Mullany, shoveler, 1st 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d.....	7	1 25	8 75
Phil. Lyons, shoveler, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th. 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d.....	9	1 25	11 25
Wm. Gallagher, shoveler, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d.	9	1 25	11 25
Patrick Dempsey, shoveler, 1st. 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 16th, 1d.....	11	1 25	13 75

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Jas. Carter, shoveler, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 18th, ½d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 22d, 1d	10½	$1 25	$13 12
Wm. Kennedy, shoveler, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, ½d. 6th, 1d, 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 13th, 1d. 17th, 1d. 18th, 1d.	8½	1 00	8 50
John Hanley, shoveler, 3d, 1d. 4th, ½d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d.	4½	1 25	5 62
Martie O'Brien, shoveler, 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 13th, ½d. 17th, 1d.	6½	1 00	6 50
Whipple Mills, shoveler, 3d, ½d. 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.	3½	1 25	$ 4 37
Edward Briggs, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.	3	1 25	3 75
Burtell Briggs, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.	3	1 25	3 75
Samuel Parker, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, ½d. 15th, 1d.	2½	1 25	3 12
Ed. Stevens, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 15th, 1d.	3	1 25	3 75
Abraham Perron, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, ½d.	1½	1 25	1 87
Will Wheeler, shoveler, 15th, 1d.	1	1 25	1 25
Eugene Shangraw, shoveler, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 18th, 1d.	7	1 25	8 75
Frank Fredette, 3d, ½d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 22d, 1d.	3½	1 00	3 50
			$392 85

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
R. C. Thrall, for picking stone out of road			1 25
			$394 10
Carried from May			327 66
			$721 76

WORK IN JULY, 1889.

Arthur McKenney's team, 1st. 1d.	1	$3 50	$3 50
Will. Cleveland, shoveler, 1st, 1d.	1	1 25	1 25
			$4 75
Carried to August			$726 51

WORK IN AUGUST, 1889.

Arthur McKenney's team, 1st, 1d. 2d, 1d.	2	$3 50	$7 00
James M. Kennedy's team, 2d, 1d. 26th, 1d.	2	3 50	7 00
Joseph Townshend, shoveler, 2d, 1d. 26th, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
Michael Kennedy, 2d, 1d. 26th, 1d.	2	2 00	4 00
Will Cleaveland, shoveler, 1st, 1d. 2d, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
Wm. Kennedy, 26th, ½d.	½	1 00	50
			$23 50
Carried to September			$750 01

WORK IN SEPTEMBER, 1889.

Thomas Phalen's team, 20th, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d.	3	$3 50	$10 50
Frank Clark's team, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 30th, 1d.	5¼	3 50	18 37

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
James M. Kennedy's team, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 16th, ½d. 20th, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	10½	$3 50	$36 75
James Hornidge's team, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	5¾	3 50	20 11
John Raleigh's team, 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d..	4¾	3 50	16 61
Edward McCabe's team, 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	4¾	3 50	16 61
Edward Mackerney's team, 28th, ½d. 30th, 1d.....	1½	3 50	5 25
Judith Batece's team, 30th, ½d.....	½	3 50	1 75
Michael Kennedy, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 16th, ½d. 20th, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	10½	2 00	21 00
Richard Raleigh, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d.....	2	1 25	2 50
Stillman Willis, shoveler, 13th, 1d. 14th, 1d. 16th, ½d. 20th, 1d. 23d, 1d.....	4½	1 25	5 62
James Carter, shoveler, 16th, ½d....	½	1 25	62
George Jackson, shoveler, 20th, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	6¾	1 25	8 43
Wm. Gallagher, Sr., shoveler, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	5¾	1 25	7 18
Wm. Gallagher, Jr., shoveler, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	5¾	1 25	7 18

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Hugh Cory, shoveler, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d...	4¾	$1 25	$5 93
Fred Mackerney, shoveler, 24th, ½d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ½d. 28th, ½d. 30th, 1d.....	3½	1 00	3 50
John Raleigh, shoveler, 25th, 1d. 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d.....	3¾	1 25	4 68
Tim Crowley, shoveler, 20th 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	8	1 25	10 00
Patrick Battles, shoveler, 27th, ½d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	2½	1 25	3 12
Thomas Mullany, shoveler, 26th, ¾d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 30th, 1d.....	3¾	1 25	4 68
			$210 39
Carried to October.....			$960 40

WORK IN OCTOBER.

Thomas Phalen's team, 2d, 1d.....	1	$3 50	$3 50
James Hornidge's team, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d.....	2	3 50	7 00
John Raleigh's team, 2d, 1d.....	1	3 50	3 50
Judith Batece, 2d, 1d.....	1	3 50	3 50
Michael Kennedy's team, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d.....	3	3 50	10 50
Frank Clark's team, 3d, 1d.....	1	3 50	3 50
Ed. McCabe's team, 2d, 1d. 3d, ½d..	1½	3 50	5 25
Michael Kennedy, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d.....	3	2 00	6 00
Wm. Gallagher, Sr., shoveler, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d.....	2	1 25	2 50
Wm. Gallagher, Jr., shoveler, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d.....	2	1 25	2 50
Hugh Cory, shoveler, 2d, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Patrick Battles, shoveler, 2d, 1d....	1	$1 25	$1 25
Tim Crowley, shoveler, 2d, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
Thomas Mullany, shoveler, 2d, 1d..	1	1 25	1 25
George Jackson, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d.....	2	1 25	2 50
Will Wheeler, 4th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
Abraham Perron, cutting brush on highway, 1st, 1d. 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d..... ...	5	1 25	6 25
			$ 62 75
Carried to November.....			$1,023 15

WORK IN NOVEMBER, 1889.

Edward McCabe's team, 20th, ½d. 23d, ½d.....	1	$3 50	$3 50
Michael Kennedy's team, 20th, 1d. 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d. 25th, 1d.....	4	3 50	14 00
John Groonell, shoveler, 25th, 1d...	1	1 25	1 25
William Gallagher, Sr., shoveler, 25th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
William Gallagher, Jr., shoveler, 25th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
Thomas Mullany, 25th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
Man from Sheldon & Co.'s works, 20th, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
			$23 75
Carried to January.....			$1,046 90

WORK IN JANUARY, 1890.

Thomas Phalen's team, 8th, ½d.....	½	$3 50	$1 75
Harley G. Sheldon's team, 8th, 3hrs.	3h	3 50	1 00
Michael Kennedy, 8th, ½d.....	½	2 00	1 00

	Tota days.	Rate.	Amount.
George Jackson, 8th, ½d.....	½	$1 50	$ 75
Michael Kennedy, 8th, ½d.....	½	2 00	1 00
			$ 5 50
Michael Kennedy, worked Feb. 10, 1890, ½d..	½	2 00	1 00
			$ 6 50
			$1,053 40

GRAVEL FROM BRICK MEETING HOUSE.

1889.				
May	22	36	loads.....	
	23	36	"	
	24	36	"	
	28	30	"	
	29	36	"	
	27	12	"	from James Reed's.....
	31	18	" "	Sheldon & Co.'s pit
June	1	36	" "	" " "
	3	20	" "	Gilmore's pit.....
	4	25	" "	" " " .....
	5	25	" "	" " .....
	6	60	" "	" " .....
	7	60	" "	" " .....
	8	40	" "	" " .....
	10	25	" "	" " .....
	11	30	" "	" " .....
	3	30	" "	Griswold's " .....
	4	30	" "	" " .....
	5	28	" "	" " .....
	6	2	" "	" " .....
	7	1	" "	" " .....
	8	1	" "	" " .....

Sept.	24	24	"	"	Gilmore's	"	.....
	25	41	"	"	"	"	.....
	26	5	"	"	"	"	.....
	28	15	"	"	"	"	.....
	30	42	"	"	"	"	.....
Oct.	2	45	"	"	"	"	.....
		789	"				

		at 10 cts. a load.....	$78 90
Apr.	15–16–17	Paid John Brewster for cinders.....	2 60
June	15	Paid Samuel Parker for gravel.....	7 00
		Paid Patrick Donnelly for sharpening picks.....	50
		Paid E. Duffy for sharpening drills.....	35
		Paid Patrick Colligan for sharpening picks.....	50
		Paid Rutland Marble Co,. for sharpening tools.....	35
		Rake for roads.....	50
		Powder and fuse.....	70
		Amount worked on road.....	$91 40
			1,053 40
			$1,144 80

Carried over from road book of 1888, $80.

I consider the roads in the north part of the town in good repair, they being made of better material, viz., marble and broken stone. I will reccommend the same, as our town demands better roads.

The Rutland road required a good deal of repairing owing to the bad condition it was in last year, and required considerable money to be laid out on it.

There may have to be a new bridge at the notch of the mountain this coming year. I would recommend an iron bridge.

MICHAEL KENNEDY, Selectman.

ITEMIZED ACCOUNT OF HIGHWAY FUND.

To the Tax-payers of West Rutland:

In presenting an itemized account of the highway fund for the first time in the history of our town government, I deem it necessary that a brief statement of facts should precede the presentation of such an account. At the commencement of the year the board divided the roads of the town into three sections, the part I had charge of being all roads west of the main line of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Co.'s track. Of these the Boardman Hill road has been thoroughly worked the past year, and, with a little attention in the spring, will need no further repairs the coming year. The causeway has been graveled wherever deemed necessary; also two of the largest bridges built entirely new, and abutments rebuilt, the labor of which was paid for out of my orders on the highway fund. Clarendon avenue has been practically lowered, leaving a good roadbed; the earth removed being used in widening and extending Blanchard avenue. The main road south to the Clarendon line has been completely worked, part being graveled, the remainder being worked with the road machine. The bridge south of the Hornidge place has been newly planked; also the bridge opposite the cheese factory has been planked and strengthened with additional stringers. The road south of the Smith residence, leading to the Ira line, has been thoroughly worked, and a bridge, 18 feet span, entirely new, erected. Clark Hill road has been repaired, together with sluiceways and bridges, and has suffered no damage by the fall rains. The road leading to the Youngs farm, which caused considerable complaint and was in a bad condition, with ingrowing shrubbery and a gullied roadbed. The roadbed has been repaired with suitable water-bars, the brush cut, and the road is

now open for travel. Marble street has been graveled on the west side of the horse-car track and covered with marble chips on the east side. Smith and Brown streets have received a much-needed graveling; Barnes street has been worked with the road machine. It requires the building of four rods of sewer to carry the surface water to the brook. The Castleton road has been graveled to its junction with Water street. The remaining part was worked with the road machine. The numerous sluiceways on this road have been put in serviceable shape. In employing men and teams to work on the highway, I have endeavored to secure honest work and economy in the expenditure of the people's money. The following is an itemized account, showing by whom the work was performed, the day and date of its performance, the number of days worked, the rate per day and the total amount, all of which is respectfully submitted.

M. W. CANNON.

WORK IN MARCH, 1889.

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
John Moran, 8th, 1d. 9th, ½d. 11th, ½d. 14th, 1d	3	$1 25	$3 75
John Mundy's team, 7th, ¾d. 11th, 1d.	1¾	3 50	6 00
George Cannon and team, 9th, ½d. 22d, 1d. 23d, ½d	2	3 50	7 00
H. J. Harmon and team, 22d, 1d. 23d, ½d	1½	3 50	5 25
James Kennedy and team, 22d, 1d. 23d, ½d	1½	3 50	5 25
Patrick Gallagher, 22d, 1d	1	1 25	1 25
John Gurry, 22d, 1d. 23d, ½d	1½	1 25	1 88
James Hornidge, Jr., 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d	2	1 25	2 50
Henry Brewster, 22d, ¾d, 23d, ½d	1¼	1 25	1 56
T. Thornton, 22d, 1d. 23d, ½d	1½	1 25	1 88

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
James Frazier, 23d, ½d	½	$1 25	$ 63
M. W. Cannon, 9th, ½d. 22d, 1d. 23d ½d	2	2 00	4 00
M. Kennedy, 22d, ½d	½	2 00	1 00
			$41 95

WORK IN APRIL, 1889.

James Hornidge, 10th, ½d	½	$1 25	$ 63
John Moran, 12th, 1d. 15th, 1d	2	1 25	2 50
Pat Gallagher, 14th, 1d	1	1 25	1 25
George Cannon and team, 11th, ¾d. 18th, 1d	1¾	3 50	6 11
William Donnelly, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
Edward Welsh, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d	2	1 25	2 50
M. W. Cannon, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d	2	2 00	4 00
Jerry Leroe, hewing timber by job			4 50
			$23 99

WORK IN MAY, 1889.

James Hornidge and team, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	$3 50	$14 00
George Cannon and team, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	3 50	14 00
Michael Moloney, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
Edward Welsh, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
James Hornidge, Jr., 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
Hubert Cline, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
George Taylor, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
M. W. Cannon, 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d. 30th, ½d. 31st, 1d	4½	2 00	9 00

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Henry Brewster, 17th, ½d.....	½	$1 25	$ 63
A. J. Mead and team, 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d.....	2	3 50	7 00
John H. Mead, 29th, 1d. 31st, 1d...	2	1 25	2 50
Willie McDuff, 29th, ½d. 31st, 1d.	1½	1 00	1 50
John Frazier, 31st, 1d.....	1	1 25	1 25
W. C. Thrall and team, 31st, ½d....	½	3 50	1 75
			$76 63

WORK IN JUNE, 1889.

W. C. Thrall and team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, ½d....	6½	$3 50	$22 75
James Hornidge and team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d.....	13½	3 50	47 25
Eldward Welsh, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d...	16½	1 25	20 63
A. J. Mead and team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d.....	4	3 50	14 00
John H. Mead, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d, 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d.....	4	1 25	5 00
George Cannon and team, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 13th, ½d. 17th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d.....	15	3 50	52 50

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
James Hornidge, Jr., 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d...	16½	$1 25	$20 63
Michael Maloney, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, ½d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d.	9½	1 25	11 88
M. W. Cannon, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 15th, 1d. 17th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d....	16½	2 00	33 00
Hubert Cline, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d...	10	1 25	12 50
George Taylor, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d.....	4	1 25	5 00
Willie McDuff, 1st, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d..... ...	4	1 00	4 00
John Frazier, 1st, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d.....	7	1 25	8 75
J. M. Dewey and horse, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 20th, ½d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d....	4½	2 00	9 00
Henry Brewster, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d.....	9	1 25	11 25
George Jackson, 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, ½d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d. 27th ½d.....	13	1 50	19 50

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Percy Hall, 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 27th, ½d.	2½	$1 00	$2 50
James Brown, 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 20th, 1d, 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d.	11	1 25	13 75
Chauncey T. Gorham and team, 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 8th, ½d.	4½	3 50	15 75
James Battles and team, 10th, 1d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d.	3	3 50	10 50
M. G. Olivette and team, 10th, ½d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d.	2½	3 50	8 75
Edward O'Neil, 10th, ½d 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d. 24th, 1d. 26th, ½d. 27th, 1d.	7	1 25	8 75
James Dernier and team, 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d.	2	3 50	7 00
Frank Clark and team, 21st, ½d, 22d, 1d.	1½	3 50	5 25
Fred Raymond and team, 22d, 1d.	1	3 50	3 50
James Moran and team, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d, 29th, 1d.	6	3 50	21 00
John Moran 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, 29th, 1d1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d..	6	1 25	7 50
Phelix Cole, 24th, ½d. 25th, 1d 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d...	5½	1 25	6 88
John Munday, 24th, 1d. 25th, 1d. 26th, ½d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d	5½	1 25	6 88
Thomas Monaghan, 25th. 1d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, 1d. 29th, 1d..	5	1 25	6 25
			$421 90

WORK IN JULY, 1889.

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Edward Welch, 1st, 1d. 11th, ½d.	1½	$1 25	$1 88
George Cannon and team, 11th, 1d. 12th, ½d. 13th, ¼d.	1¾	3 50	6 12
James Hornidge and team, 11th, ½d.	½	3 50	1 75
George Jackson, 11th, ½d. 12th, ½d. 13th, ¾d. 20th, ½d. 27th, ½d.	2¾	1 50	4 11
M. W. Cannon, 11th, 1d.	1	2 00	2 00
J. D. Dernier, hired man, 11th, 1d.	1	1 25	1 25
			$17 11

WORK IN AUGUST, 1889.

George Cannon and team, 2d, ½d. 10th, ½d. 12th, ½d. 23d, ¾d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 29th, ½d, 31st, 1d.	6¼	$3 50	$21 87
Edward Welsh, 1st, ½d. 2d, ½d. 31st, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
M. W. Cannon, 2d, ½d. 10th, ½d. 12th, ½d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 29th, ½d. 31st, 1d.	5½	2 00	11 00
James Hornidge, Jr., 15th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 31st, 1d	3½	1 25	4 38
George Jackson, 20th, ½d. 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d. 28th, ½d. 31st, 1d.	4	1 50	6 00
James Quinn, 26th, 1d. 27th, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
Patrick Battles, 27th, 1d.	1	1 25	1 25
James Hornidge and team, 29th, ½d. 31st, 1d.	1½	3 50	5 25
J. D. Dernier and team, 31st, 1.	1	3 50	3 50
Edward O'Neil, 31st, 1d.	1	1 25	1 25
			$59 50

WORK IN SEPTEMBER, 1889.

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
James Hornidge and team, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d.....	4	$3 50	$14 00
Frank Clark and team, 2d, ½d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d.....	5½	3 50	19 25
George Cannon and team, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, ½d. 26th, ½d. 27th, ½d...	8½	3 50	29 75
George Jackson, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, ½d.....	7½	1 50	11 25
James Quinn, 2d, ¾d. 3d, ½d. 4th, 1d,	2¼	1 25	2 81
Edward Welsh, 2d, ½d. 3d, ½d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 26th, ½d. 27th 1d....	4½	1 25	5 63
Patrick Battles, 2d, ½d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d....	3½	1 25	4 38
M. W. Cannon, 2d, 1d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 10th, 1d. 11th, ½d. 26th, ½d. 27th, ½d..	8½	2 00	17 00
James Hornidge, Jr., 2d, ½d. 3d, 1d. 4th, 1d. 5th, 1d. 6th, ½d.....	4	1 25	5 00
Hubert Cline, 4th, ½d. 5th, 1d.....	1½	1 25	1 88
John Brewster and team, 6th, 1d. 7th, ¼d. 10th, 1d. 11th, ½d.....	2¾	3 50	9 62
Frank Smith and team, 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d.....	2	3 50	7 00
John Smith, 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d.....	2	1 25	2 50
Neil Rollins, 6th, 1d. 7th, 1d. 10th, ½d.....	2½	1 25	3 12
			$133 19

WORK IN OCTOBER, 1889.

	Total. days.	Rate.	Amount.
Chauncy Snow and team, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d.....	3	$3 50	$10 50
James, Hornidge and team, 16th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d. 25th, ½d. 26th, ¼d.....	6¼	3 50	21 87
George Jackson, 16th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d. 25th, ½d. 26th, 1d..	7	1 50	10 50
Patrick Battles, 18th. 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d..:.....	5	1 25	6 25
George Cannon and team, 12th, 1d. 16th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d. 25th, ½d.....	7	3 50	24 50
Hugh Corey, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1 d. 21st, 1d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d.....	4½	1 25	5 63
Edward Welsh, 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d.....	5	1 25	6 25
F. B. Blanchard and team, 18th, ¾d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 24th, ½d.....	3¾	3 50	13 12
M. W. Cannon, 16th, ½d. 18th, 1d. 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d, 2d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d. 25th, ½d, 26th, 1d..	7	2 00	14 00
William Gallagher, 2d., 19th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d.....	4	1 25	5 00
William Gallagher, 1st, 21st, 1d. 22d, ½d. 23, 1d. 24th, ½d.....	3	1 25	3 75

	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Edward McCabe, 22d, ½d. 23d, 1d. 24th, ½d	2	$3 50	$7 00
M. G, Olivette and team, 23d, ½d. 24th, ½d	1	3 50	3 50
			$131 87

WORK IN NOVEMBER, 1889.

John Moran, 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d	4	$1 25	$5 00
James Moran, 20th, 1d. 21st, 1d. 22d, 1d. 23d, 1d	4	1 25	5 00
			$10 00

RECAPITULATION.

Total amount of orders on highway fund..... $1,000 00

Money paid labor as follows :

March,	1889	$ 41 95
April,	"	23 99
May,	"	76 63
June,	"	421 90
July,	"	17 11
August,	"	59 50
September,	"	133 19
October,	"	131 87
November,	"	10 00
		$916 14

Money paid material.

Sheldon & Sons, gravel	$43 00
W. R. Gilmore, marble chips	18 00
Mrs. Slason, gravel	14 20
W. A. Thrall, com. gravel	1 00
J. D. Dernier, timber sluiceway.	2 00

P. Donnelly, bolts iron bridge, depot	45		
W. W. Burr, oil, road machine.	35		
F. B. Blanchard, drawing stone-wall on Blanchard avenue	5 00	$84 00	
		$1,000 14	$1,000 00

ORDER NO. 43, ITEMIZED.

OCTOBER.	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
James Hornidge and team, 2d, ½d. 9th, ¼d	¾	$3 50	$2 62
Frank Clark and team, 2d, ½d. 10th, ½d	1	3 50	3 50
George Cannon and team, 2d, ½d. 9th, ½d. 10th, ½d	1½	3 50	5 25
George Jackson, 2d, ½d. 9th, ½d. 10th, ½d. 12th, ¾d	2¼	1 50	3 37
Edward Welsh, 2d, ½d. 9th 1d	1½	1 25	1 88
M. W. Cannon, 2d, ½d. 9th, 1d. 10th, ½d. 11th, 1d. 12th, 1d	4	2 00	8 00
Elias Clark, 9th, 1d. 10th, ½d. 12th, ¾d	2¼	1 25	2 81
James Carroll, 9th, 1d. 10th, ½d. 11th, ½d	2	3 00	6 00
Edward Behan, 9th, 1d. 10th, ½d. 11th, ½d	2	2 25	4 50
George Brown, 9th, ½d. 11th, ½d	1	3 00	3 00
John Smith, 11th, ½d	½	3 00	1 50
			$42 43
Sheldon Marble Co., 3 loads sawed stone			3 00
" " " 3 bbls. mortar			1 50
			$46 93

ORDER ON GENERAL ACCOUNT NO. 56 ITEMIZED.

WORK ON ROSS STREET SEWER.

DECEMBER, 1889.	Total days.	Rate.	Amount.
Arthur McKerney and team, 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.....	2	$3 50	$7 00
James Hornidge and team, 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.....	2	3 50	7 00
Frank Clark, 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d....	2	1 25	2 50
Edward Welsh, 12th, 1d. 13th. 1...	2	1 25	2 50
Edward Welsh, 2d, 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d.	2	1 25	2 50
M. W. Cannon, 12th, 1d. 13th, 1d..	2	2 00	4 00
			$25 50

Owing to the kindness of the Sheldon Marble Co., the town was not obliged to pay for any marble used in building the sewer and abutments of iron bridge with the exceptions of three loads of sawed stone on which the plates of the iron bridge were laid. The above is an itemized account of all money expended by me for the year ending Feb. 20, 1890.

M. W. CANNON,
Selectman.

Town Liquor Agent's Report.

AUGUST 3, 1889.

Liquor on hand Aug. 3, 1889.....	$ 653 40	
Cash received from sales.....	1,112 36	
Casks, etc., on hand.....	19 07	
		$1,784 83
Paid freight, cartage and sales book.	$ 10 11	
Liquors bought current year.....	676 60	
Liquors Feb. 1, 1889.....	728 56	
Agent's salary.....	151 90	
Balance profit.....	217 66	
		$1,784 83

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Liquors on hand Aug. 3, 1889	$ 653 40	
Cash from sales.....	1,112 36	
Casks on hand and demijohns, etc..	19 07	
		$1,784 83
Liquors Feb. 1, 1889.....	$ 728 56	
Bought current year.....	676 60	
Freight, cartage and book.....	10 11	
Agent's salary.....	151 90	
		$1,567 17
Balance profit.....		217 66
		$1,784 83

E. H. WHITE, Ex-Liquor Agent.

West Rutland, Vt., Aug. 3, 1889.

Town Liquor Agent's Report.

Liquor on hand Feb. 15, 1889.....	$625 39	
Cash received from sales.....	2,436 04	
Casks on hand.....	18 75	
		$3,080 18
Liquor from Mr. White, Aug. 10, '89	$653 40	
Liquor bought from Aug. 10, 1889, to Feb. 15, 1890.....	1,621 35	
Paid for freight, corks and sales-book	33 88	
Agent's salary, 7 months.....	210 00	
Balance profit.....	561 55	
		$3,080 18

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

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		$3,080 18
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Liquors bought from Aug. 10, 1889, to Feb. 15, 1890.....	1,621 35	
Paid for freight, corks, and sales-book	33 88	
Agent's salary, 7 months.....	210 00	
		$2,518 63
Balance profit.....		561 55
		$3,080 18

C. W. GREEN, Town Liquor Agent.

West Rutland Vt., Feb. 20, 1890.

OUTSTANDING ORDERS.

SELECTMEN'S ORDERS.

No.	To whom.	Amount.
63	E. H. White.....	$75 00
11	E. H. White,.....	50 00
57	P Kaverny.....	90 00
58	Columbia Distilling Co.....	185 00
64	A. A. Kidder.....	36 00
71	C. W. Green.....	120 00
72	H. A. Blanchard & Co.....	598 75
73	Columbia Distilling Co.....	186 00
		$1,340 75

HIGHWAY.

5	M. W. Cannon.....	250 00
6	M. Kennedy.....	400 00
14	M. Kennedy.....	164 80
		$814 80

SCHOOL FUND.

1	Dist. No. 6.....	$250 81
2	" " 7.....	1,194 78
5	" " 21.....	620 25
6	" Central.....	306 52
		$2,372 36

OVERSEER'S ORDERS.

143	Dr. C. B. Ross.....	$19 85
145	James Battles.....	47 98
153	Parker & Thrall.....	48 00
157	William Walsh.....	32 00
159	L. J. Hoadley.....	37 40
161	C. W. Green.....	3 31
167	E. W. Young.....	38 45
169	M. Moriarity.....	53 82
		$280 81

JUSTICE ORDER.

	M. W. Cannon.....	1 51

OVERSEER'S REPORT.

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To the Taxpayers of West Rutland:

In presenting for your inspection my report as overseer for the past year it will not be necessary to attach much of a preamble, as a careful perusal of the report will show you what every order is for. I have done considerable repairs on the house and furniture in the way of painting, which was much needed, and have added a good deal to the table and bed linen. I am of the opinion that a large item of expense could be saved by disposing of a part of the present farm.

In employing a physician for the town I departed from the usual custom of having a fixed price or amount set, which has, at least the past year, given good results, as the bill for the same up till January 15th of the present year is only $57.38, which is low compared with other years, and taking into account the unhealthy nature of the present winter.

PATRICK KEVNEY,
Overseer of the Poor.

ORDERS DRAWN BY OVERSEER.

No.		In Favor of.	For What Service.	Amount.
1	Mar. 30	Rolla Griswold,	sawing wood, farm	$ 8 80
2	April 4	H. E. Kelley,	wages farm hand...	44 00
3	5	Union Tea Co.,	goods for house..	24 10
4	15	A. K. Kinne,	medical attendance.	18 75
5	17	Patrick Kenney,	hay.....	8 93

6	Apr. 24	A. & F. Fish,	goods outside poor..	$12 00
7		" " "	" " ..	12 00
8		Parker & Thrall,	" " ..	35 00
9		" "	for house..	24 36
10		Wm. Walsh,	goods outside poor..	34 25
11		A. A. Kidder, "	" " ..	20 00
12		R. Dwyer, "	" " ..	83 50
13		R. Dwyer, "	for house...	9 58
14		N. Leonard, "	outside poor....	26 00
15		E. W. Young, "	for house...	45 10
16	27	W. M. Stearns,	medical attendance	18 75
17	May 1	Wheeler Bros.,	goods outside poor	43 50
18	18	M. Moriarity, "	for house	15 42
19	June 4	Neal Daley,	wages farm hand.....	40 00
20		Pat Keveny,	cow for farm.....	38 00
21	6	Mary Robinson,	wages as servant..	12 00
22		Parker & Thrall,	goods outside poor	71 00
23		Wheeler Bros., "	" "	38 00
24		L. J. Hoadley, "	for house	16 70
25	7	Nap. Leonard, "	outside poor..	21 00
26		Wm. Walsh, "	for house	26 36
27		Wm. Walsh, "	outside poor..	36 00
28		R. Dwyer, "	" "	42 50
29		E. C. Duffy,	repairing wagons....	7 00
30		Wheeler Bros.,	goods for house	26 90
31		Parker & Thrall	" " "	21 60
32	11	A. & F. Fish,	goods outside poor	26 00
33		" " "	for house	1 41
33	13	J. D. Dernier, "	outside poor.	16 00
24	15	C. J. Mchuron "	" "	19 00
25	28	H. H. Brown & Co.	" "	16 00
26	28	H. H. Browne & Co.,	goods for house..	57 93
27	July 2	Neal Daley,	wages farm hand ..	20 00
28	15	Pat Cline,	goods for house.....	7 48
29	16	C. B. Ross,	medical services.....	8 86

30	July	23	A. &. F. Fish, goods outside poor	$12 00
31			Parker & Thrall " " "	33 00
32			N. Bouchomp, repairing shoes...	1 00
33			Wheeler Bros., goods outside poor	16 00
34		29	R. Dwyer, " " "	19 30
35			A. A. Kidder, " for house....	17 14
36			Nap. Leonard, " outside poor..	13 00
37			Wm. Walsh, " " "	27 35
38			T. A. Carmody " for house....	5 94
39			E. W. Young, " " ...	24 03
40			F. A. Morse, " " ...	6 92
41	Aug.	2	M. Moriarity, " " ...	27 70
42		5	Daniel Reed, work at farm	5 50
43			Ed Connell, goods for house.....	22 74
44		10	Parker Bros., feed " farm.....	10 00
45		21	P. J. Fleming, goods for farm....	5 90
46		23	Parker & Thrall,goods outside poor	33 00
47			" " " for house..	23 29
48			Wheeler Bros., " outside poor	18 00
49			Nap. Leonard " " "	13 00
50			R. Dwyer, " " "	18 00
51			T. B. Wheeler, " for house	39 09
52		28	A. & F. Fish, " outside poor	12 00
53			Wm. Walsh, " " "	25 00
54			T. B. Wheeler, " " "	6 00
55	Sept.	7	N. Daley, wages farm hand.....	40 00
56			Parker Bros., feed for farm.....	6 15
57		13	E. H. White, medicine for house..	2 00
58			A. W. Stanton, washing machine	14 00
59		14	J. D. Dernier, wood outside poor.	6 00
60		24	G. M. Hascall, repairing clock....	2 25
61		27	A. & F. Fish, goods outside poor..	12 00
62			Parker & Thrall, " " "	27 00
63			Parker & Thrall, " for house.....	8 91
64			Wheeler Bros., " outside poor..	18 00

65	Sept.		Wheeler Bros., " for house ...	$29 94
66			R. Dwyer, " outside poor..	19 00
67			R. Dwyer, " " "	5 50
68			Nap. Leonard " " "	13 00
69			Wm. Walsh, " " "	30 00
70			A. A. Kidder, " " "	9 00
71			A. A. Kidder, " for house....	16 02
72		28	P. Cline, " " "	5 55
73	Oct.	5	E. C. Duffy, repairing wagons...	11 75
74		7	N. Daley, wages farm hand... ..	30 00
75			M. Moriarity, goods for house....	25 00
76		9	M. Robinson, wages farm hand...	16 00
77		14	" " " ...	2 00
78			W. A. Day, wood outside poor....	34 37
79			" threshing.....	3 00
80		17	C. B. Ross, medical services.....	28 67
81		28	Vt. Marble Co., grinding...	2 87
82		30	A. & F. Fish, goods, outside poor,	12 00
83			Parker & Thrall, " "	25 00
84			Parker & Thrall, goods for house,	3 61
85			Wheeler Bros., goods, outside poor	17 00
86			Wheeler Bros., " for house...	8 35
87			T. B. Wheeler, " outside poor	10 00
88			Nap. Leonard, " " "	14 00
89			Wm. Walsh, " " "	22 00
90			R. Dwyer, " " "	18 00
91			H. H. Brown & Co., " "	15 00
92			H. H. Brown & Co., goods for house.....	50 83
93	Nov.	20	N. Daley, wages, farm hand.....	10 00
94			W. W. Burr, harness repairing...	4 10
95		25	Parker & Thrall, goods, outside poor.....	26 00
96			Wheeler Bros., goods, outside poor	16 00
97			Wheeler Bros., goods for house...	11 16
98			E. B. Tyler, medicine for house..	2 90

99	Nov.		R. Dwyer, goods, outside poor...	$19 00
100			A. A. Kidder, " " ...	12 00
101			A. A. Kidder, goods for house....	20 26
102			Wm. Walsh, goods, outside poor..	39 00
103			Parker & Thrall, goods for house,	36 69
104		26	P. Cline, " "	12 95
105		27	A. & F. Fish, goods, outside poor	12 00
106			T. B. Wheeler, " "	10 00
107			E. W. Young " "	18 00
108			Nap. Leonard, " "	13 00
109	Dec.	9	Mary Battles, wages as servant...	20 00
110		10	M. C. Murphy estate, old bill of medicine.....	7 13
111		14	Neal Daley, wages, farm hand...	30 00
112		19	A. & F. Fish, goods, outside poor,	17 00
113			Parker & Thrall, " "	34 00
114			Parker & Thrall, goods for house,	30 28
115			Wheeler Bros., goods, outside poor	16 00
116			Wheeler Bros., goods for house...	23 40
117			T. B. Wheeler, goods, outside poor	10 00
118			T. B. Wheeler, " for house...	7 85
119			Nap. Leonard, " outside poor,	13 00
120			A. A. Kidder, " "	6 00
121			R. Dwyer, " "	18 00
122			Wm. Walsh, " "	40 00
123			E. W. Young, " for farm....	17 00
124		21	Wm. Walsh, " "	21 29
125			Jas. Phillips, chopping.....	4 50
126		23	Geo. Taylor, "	7 25
127			Jos. Whitmore, "	11 00
	1890.			
128	Jan.	1	Jos. Whitmore, "	10 00
129		4	F. F. Lincoln, grinding and cider making.....	3 64
130			Jos. Whitmore, chopping.....	6 00
131		13	Neal Daley, wages, farm hand ...	10 00

132	Jan.	21	Parker & Thrall, goods, outside poor.....	$43 00
133			Parker & Thrall, goods for house,	25 10
134			Wheeler Bros., goods, outside poor	17 00
135		22	Nap. Leonard, " "	13 00
136			A. A. Kidder, " "	13 00
137			Wm. Walsh, " "	32 00
138			A. & F. Fish, " "	13 00
139			T. B. Wheeler, " "	10 00
140			T. B. Wheeler, goods for house..	30 34
141			R. Dwyer, goods, outside poor...	21 00
142		27	Mary Battles, wages servant.....	21 00
143	Feb.	1	C. B. Ross, medical attendance...	19 85
144			E. B. Tyler, medicine..	4 25
145			James Battles, goods for house...	47 98
146		5	A. & F. Fish, goods, outside poor.	13 00
147			Wheeler Bros., goods, outside poor	19 00
148			T. B. Wheeler, goods outside poor	14 00
149			Nap. Leonard, goods, outside poor	15 00
150			R. Dwyer, goods, outside poor...	18 00
151			H. H. Brown & Co., goods, outside poor.....	12 00
152		6	Pelton Printing Co., order books.	3 50
153		7	Parker & Thrall, goods, outside poor.....	48 00
154			Parker & Thrall, goods for house.	11 50
156			Vt. Marble Co., goods, outside poor	86 00
157		8	Wm. Walsh, goods, outside poor..	32 00
158		10	Pat. Donnelly, horseshoeing... .	12 01
159			L. J. Hoadley, goods for house..	37 40
160			R. H. Watkins, repairs for farm..	13 86
161			C. W. Green, medicine, house....	3 33
162			Pat. Cline, goods for house.....	11 33
163			F. A. Morse, goods for house....	14 12
164			Wm. Walsh, goods for house.....	30 30
165		12	C. H. Campbell, funeral expenses	34 00

166	Feb. 12	Ed. Connell, goods for house.....	$14 40
167	13	E. W. Young, goods, outside poor	38 45
168		A. A. Mills, goods for house.....	3 00
169	15	M. Moriarity, goods for house....	53 82
			$3,577 89

NAMES OF THOSE RECEIVING OUTSIDE AID.

Battease, Joseph...	$3 00	Leonard, George...	88 00
Bowes, Alfred.. ..	7 00	McCue, Mrs. M....	84 00
Bell, Gregware.....	57 50	Monaghan, D.....	3 00
Copps, James.....	92 00	Orcutt, Mrs. M....	3 00
Cummings, Mrs....	124 00	Perry, H. H.....	40 00
Derwer, Napoleon..	19 00	Phillips, James.....	4 00
Dutelly, Mrs.....	128 00	Plant, Napoleon ...	151 50
Dockery, Mrs.....	67 50	Raleigh, Mrs	115 00
Emonde, Cleophas..	6 50	Reilly, Ellen	24 25
Gannon, Mrs.....	52 50	Shangraw, Mrs	94 00
Ganging, James....	103 00	Skivelton, Ann	54 35
Gilligan, P.....	46 45	Skivelton, Maria	55 50
Glancey, Patrick...	93 00	Smith, Ransom	109 50
Gleason, Mrs.....	159 50	Teelon, Thos.....	7 00
Hall, A. M.....	21 00	Valran, Nolbert....	11 00
Judge, John.....	13 00	Welsh, Thos.....	62 00
Total amounts.....			$1,899 05

NAMES AND AGES OF THOSE AT TOWN FARM.

	Yrs.		Yrs.
Catharine Donnelly....	64	Mary Teelon.....	91
John Holleran.....	40	Silas Ward.....	62
Wm. Neary.....	84	Pat. Hackett.....	80
Wm. Pignieu.....	37	Mrs. Hackett.....	78
Chas. Sawyer.....	86	Patrick Ford.....	70
Aunty Sheldon.	79		

Died during the year—Bridget Wallace.

Discharged during the year—Mary Robinson, Joseph Robinson, Mrs. John Moody, Patrick Coffey.

RECAPITULATION.

Whole amount of orders drawn on treasurer....		$3,577 89
Drawn on account of outside poor....	$1,899 05	
Paid Treasurer cash..	240 24	
Drawn on account of bills previous to Feb 1st.....	170 82	
		$2,321 11
Total cost of farm, Feb, 1, '89, to Feb. 1, '90....		$1,251 78

INVENTORY OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AT THE TOWN FARM.

FEBRUARY 14, 1890.

12 cows,
2 yearlings, (b. and h.)
4 calves,
20 bushels oats,
35 bushels ears corn,
12 tons hay,
2 horses,
1 straw cutter,
1 drag rake, poor,
2 hand rakes, poor,
2 land plows, "
1 side hill plow,
1 cultivator,
1 shovel plow,
2 cross cut saws,
3 scythes and snathes,
1 ox yoke,
1 mowing machine,
1 pick axe,
16 meal bags,
7 cwt. feed,
2 iron bars,
1 set traverse sleds,
2 set whiffletrees and eveners,
1 wagon jack,
2 heavy work harnesses,
2 single harnesses,
1 " work harness,
1 express wagon,
1 Concord carriage,
1 single sleigh,
1 wood shod sled,
2 double wagons with boxes and hayracks,
1 monkey wrench,
2 oil cans,
1 curry comb,
2 brushes,
1 card comb,
1 scoop shovel,
4 manure forks,
7 hay forks, some poor,

½ bushel measure,	3 potato forks,
1 quart measure,	5 hoes, poor,
1 set spread chains,	1 harrow,
2 long tables,	3 ladders,
2 street blankets,	1 stone boat, poor,
2 stable blankets,	6 shoats,
3 sprinkling cans,	1 ox cart,
1 robe,	50 hens,
1 whip,	1 horse rake,
3 trace chains,	2½ cords dry wood,
2 log chains,	7 " green wood,
4 cable chains,	3 " stove wood,
1 hay rope,	4 axes,
2 whiffltrees,	3 sawhorses,
1 neck yoke, short,	4 wood saws,
1 tool chest, some tools,	1 cauldron kettle,
2 garden rakes.	2 round pointed shovels.

BASEMENT.

1 wheelbarrow,	1 ton chestnut coal,
1 grindstone and frame,	1 brass kettle,
1 "	1 cook stove,
2 small stoves,	4 bbls. soft soap,
3 wash tubs,	1 water pail.

WASH ROOM.

1 washing machine,	1 clothes wringer,
2 wash boards,	1 wash basin,
1 clothes frame,	3 sad irons,
3 iron kettles,	2 frying pans,
1 gridiron,	1 tea kettle,
1 copper boiler,	1 towel,
2 doz. clothes pins,	1 clothes basket,
2 chains,	2 bushel baskets.

SOUTH ROOM NO. 1.

1 small cook stove;	4 chairs,
1 small stand,	2 tables,
2 water pails,	2 trunks,
2 dippers,	1 wash bowl,
1 tin cup,	1 bedstead and bedding.

ROOM NO. 2.

1 double bed,	2 quilts,
2 sheets,	1 pillow and case,
1 straw tick,	1 single bedstead,
2 quilts and 2 sheets,	1 pillow and case,
1 feather bed,	1 straw tick,
2 chairs, 2 trunks	1 chamber vessel,
1 melodeon,	1 broom,
1 mop.	

ROOM NO. 3.

3 single beds,	6 quilts,
6 sheets,	4 pillows and cases,
3 feather beds,	3 straw ticks,
3 rocking chairs,	2 small chairs,
1 stand,	5 trunks,
1 hand lamp,	1 wash bowl,
1 water pail,	1 pitcher,
1 traveling bag,	1 stove,
3 chamber vessels,	3 tin basins,
2 pint cups.	

SMOKE ROOM NO. 4.

1 large wood stove,	5 chairs,
2 benches,	1 small table,
1 clock,	1 bracket lamp,
1 wash sink with towel,	1 mirror,

SMOKE ROOM ANNEX.

1 bath tub,	1 water pail,
2 chamber vessels.	

DINING HALL.

12 chairs,
1 bracket lamp,
2 tables and oil cloth cover,
1 wood stove.

ANNEX 1.

1 clothes rack,
1 wooden pail, 1 tin pail,
6 baking plates,
8 sets knives and forks,
13 table spoons.
2 wash pans, 1 broom,
20 plates,
20 bowls, 1 qt.
1 doz. forks,

ROOM NO. 5.

2 single beds,
4 sheets, 4 pillows
1 rocker, 1 wood stove,
2 straw ticks, 2 feather ticks,
1 trunk, 1 pitcher.
5 quilts,
2 cases, 2 chairs,
1 bureau,
2 chamber vessels,

ROOM NO. 6.

1 double bedstead,
2 pillows and cases,
1 straw bed,
1 trunk, 1 chair,
1 chamber vessel,
4 comforters, 2 sheets,
1 feather bed,
1 broom, 1 stand,
1 rocker,
10 candlesticks.

ROOM 7.

1 large chest,
1 bed spread.
4 comforters,

ROOM 8.

2 single bedsteads,
4 pillows and cases,
2 chamber vessels,
1 fire shovel, 1 dust pan,
6 quilts, 4 sheets,
4 chairs, 1 stand,
1 stove, 1 stand,
2 trunks.

ROOM 9.

1 double bedstead,
1 straw bed.
3 comforters,

ROOM 10.

1 double bedstead,
1 mattress,
1 stand.
5 quilts, 1 pillow,
1 straw tick,

ROOM 11.

1 double bedstead,
1 pillow, 1 straw tick,
5 comforters,
1 bureau.

ROOM 12.

12 double bedsteads,
24 pillows, 5 feather beds
3 blankets,
2 screen doors,
3 trunk.
4 rockers, 6 chairs,
1 stand, 1 table,
1 cord bed,
16 screen windows,

ROOM 13.

5 milk pails, 1 swill pail,
16 baking tins,
1 tea pot, 2 kettles,
4 hand lamps,
50 milk pans,
1 coffee grinder,
1¼ bbls. flour,
5 lbs. tea, 3 lbs. coffee,
25 bars hard soap.
4 lamp chimneys,
1 coffee pot,
1 dripping pan, poor,
8 towels, 4 table cloths,
2 bread pans,
1 tobacco cutter,
1-2 bbl. crackers,
40 lbs. fine salt,
¼ bbl. sugar.

ROOM 14.

1 range, 5 splint chairs,
1 bracket lamp,
1 clothes basket,
1 copper boiler.
2 rocking chairs,
1 8-day clock, 2 dippers,
1 clothes rack,

ROOM 15.

1 refrigerator,
10 cane seated chairs,
10 plated forks,
21 mirror,
36 extra pillow cases.
1 extension table, 1 stove,
10 plated knives,
4 plated tablespoons,
21 extra sheets,

ROOM 16.

1 ash bedstead with mattress and spring bed, bureau, commode and towel rack, 1 stove, 5 wood chairs.

ROOM 17.

2 stoves,	1 double bedstead,
1 spread, 2 quilts,	2 double blankets,
2 sheets, 1 pillow and case,	1 stand, 1 hand lamp,
1 mirror.	

ROOM 18.

1 sewing machine,	1 stand, 1 chair,
1 chest.	

CELLAR.

2 bushels turnips,	6 bushels beets,
200 bushels potatoes, small,	16 cider barrels,
4 6-gal., 1 5-gal., 1 4-gal. jars,	10 lbs. butter,
1 set scales,	3 lanterns,
1 oil safe, 1 ice box,	5 gal. oil can and filled,
5 pork barrels,	1 barrel pork,
1 meat saw,	1 meat bench,
1 10 gal. keg,	4 bbls. vinegar,
1 butter worker,	3 tables, 1 churn,
1 wash tub, 2 padlocks,	100 cabbages in pit,
3½ lbs. tobacco, shorts.	

Town Treasurer's Report.

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

Cash on hand	$ 72
Amount of tax from M. McLaughlin, collector, grand list 1888	222 30
Amount of tax from M. McLaughlin, collector, grand list 1889	13,032 30
Amount of tax from W. R. Dwyer, collector, grand list 1887	178 28
From John O'Rourke on overseer's account	12 53
" Mrs. E. R. Copps, town clerk, dog license fund	114 80
From E. H. White, town agent, liquor sales	1,112 36
" C. W. Green, " " " "	2,436 04
Fines and costs from A. A. Kidder, justice	81 89
" " " " M. W. Cannon, "	39 61
Wm. H. DuBois, state treasurer, Huntington fund	88 03
Patrick Keveny, overseer, produce sold on farm and pasturing	240 24
Patrick Keveny, on overseer's account	11 00
	$17,570 10

Disbursements.

Paid selectmen's orders, old indebtedness	$3,741 48
" interest on same	252 33
" " " current year	5,876 18
" interest on same	57 59

Paid Overseer's " old indebtedness	$138 59
" interest on same	2 93
" " " current year	3,137 35
" " " interest on same.....	19 41
" Wm. H. DuBois, state treasurer, state tax..	4,176 12
" premium on 5 foxes.....	3 00
" orders of A. A. Kidder, justice.....	110 89
" interest on same...	62
" " " M. W. Cannon, justice.....	53 61
	$17,570 10

H. H. BROWN,

Treasurer.

SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNT.

Receipts.

From state treasurer, Huntington fund.....	$88 03
Selectmen's order, 10 per cent. grand list 1889, from general fund.....	2,307 40
Selectmen's order, interest on U. S. deposit fund.	386 54
	$2,781 97

Disbursements.

Selectmen's order to treas. district No. 6.....	$250 81
" " " " " 7.....	1,194 78
" " " " " 8.....	226 64
" " " " " 9.....	177 97
" " " " " 21.....	620 25
" " " Central district.....	306 52
Balance to general account.....	5 00
	$2,781 97

HIGHWAY ACCOUNT.

To amount paid by collector.....		$2,792 64
By selectmen's orders, paid current year....	$1,865 00	
interest paid on same.....	20 19	
selectmen's orders outstanding...	814 80	
Balance on hand carried to general account....	92 65	
	$2,792 64	$2,792 64

DOG LICENSE ACCOUNT.

From Mrs. E. R. Copps, for licenses issued.....	$114 80

Disbursements.

One order to Patrick Kenny.....	$9 00	
" " Frank Smith.....	3 00	
" " Bradley Reynolds.....	20 00	
" " E. Boardman.....	5 00	
" " O. D. Young.....	31 00	
" " Thos. Burke.....	5 00	
" " appraisal by John O'Rourke	2 00	
" " " by M. W. Cannon.	9 00	
Unexpended am't carried to gen'l acct	30 80	
	$114 80	$114 80

AUDITORS' REPORT.

To the Taxpayers of the town of West Rutland:

The auditors of the town have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Overseer of the Poor, and also the books and vouchers of the Treasurer and Collector, and find them correct.

The discrepancy between the accounts of W. R. Dwyer, collector, between this and the previous year arises from the fact that no credit had been given him for his commission of 3 per cent, nor for the 4 per cent allowed tax-payers for payment of taxes before Oct. 1st, nor for abatement of taxes, as is shown by the accompanying statement of settlement:

LIABILITIES.

Bonds to Greenfield Savings Bank	$17,500 00
United States surplus fund	4,831 90
Outstanding orders	4,810 23
	$27,141 13

RESOURCES.

Due from W, R. Dwyer, collector, tax 1887	$136 86	
Due from M. McLaughlin, 1888	43 35	
" " 1889	463 95	
Town hall (as appraised)	200 00	
Town farm (as appraised)	8,000 00	
Personal property at town farm (estimated)	1,600 00	

Due from town of Rutland, account Ann Gorman	$102 48	
Due from A. Vondette, (overseer's account)	20 00	
Due from estate of J. A. Adams	7 00	
Value of liquors and casks on hand	644 14	
One road machine	265 00	
		$11,482 78
Net liabilities		$15,658 35

STATEMENT OF SETTLEMENT WITH W. R. DWYER, COLLECTOR, TAX 1887.

Whole amount of tax on rate bill		$11,426 80
Paid to town treasurer	$10,514 59	
3 per cent commission	325 19	
4 per cent discount to tax-payers	398 95	
Abated and exempted	51 21	
		$11,289 94
Amount uncollected		$136 86

D. D. HEWITT,
B. W. SEGER,
F. A. McCARTHY, } Auditors.

ANNUAL REPORT OF M. W. CANNON, Justice of the Peace, from the first day of March, 1889, to the first day of September, 1889.

DATE OF PROSECUTION.	RESPONDENT.	OFFENSE.	FINE.	COSTS.	REMARKS.
March 18, 1889....	Thomas Patton.....	Breach of the Peace.....	$ 0 01	$ 4 51	Plea guilty, paid to court.
March 19, 1889....	Edward Welsh, Jr.....	" " "	.....	4 51	Nolle prosed by grand juror.
April 1, 1889....	Patrick Ryan.....	" " "	01	4 51	Plea guilty, paid to court.
April 2, 1889....	William Baker.....	" " "	2 00	4 51	" " "
March 23, 1889....	P. O. Riordan.....	Assault	5 00	4 51	" " "
May 31, 1889....	John Hill.....	"	1 00	4 51	" " "
July 1, 1889....	Chas. Battese.....	"	1 00	4 51	" mittimus issued.
May 27, 1889....	Edward Burke.....	Breach of the Peace.....	01	4 51	" paid to court.
May 27, 1889....	William Cleveland.....	" " "	01	4 51	" " "
May 27, 1889....	Burt Cleveland.....	" " "	.....	4 51	Discharged by court.
May 27, 1889....	Alfred Cleveland.....	" " "	.....	4 51	" "
March 23, 1889....	John Maroney.....	Trespass.....	.....	4 51	Trial by court, discharged.

I certify that the foregoing is a true statement of all causes before me in which the town of West Rutland is interested.

M. W. CANNON, Justice of the Peace.

ANNUAL REPORT OF A. A. KIDDER, Justice of the Peace, from the first day of December, 1888, to the first day of December, 1889.

DATE OF PROSECUTION.	RESPONDENT.	OFFENSE.	FINE.	COSTS.	REMARKS.
Jan'y 12, 1889.....	Victor Bretaynd.....	Assault	$ 3 00	$ 7 51	Paid to court.
April 23, 1889....	J. F. Shepherd.....	Letting hens run at large.....	2 00	4 51	Mittimus issued.
May 6, 1889.....	Wm. Mann.....	Breach of the Peace.....	.....	4 51	Nolle prosequi.
March 19, 1889.....	Mrs. John Judge	" " "	2 00	8 36	Mittimus issued.
March 19, 1889.....	Mary Glancy.....	" " "	2 00	8 36	Paid to court.
March 19, 1889.....	James Kelley.....	Dropping poison on ground	.....	7 79	Discharged by court.
May 31, 1889.....	Ed Lee.....	Breach of the Peace.....	01	4 51	Paid to court.
June 3, 1889.....	Geo. Hutchins.....	" " "	1 00	6 47	" "
June 5, 1889....	Thos. Labelle.....	" " "	1 00	4 71	" "
July 3, 1889.....	John Coniff.....	Assault.....	.....	6 01	Not guilty by court.
July 3, 1889.....	Clifton Thomas.....	Carelessly shooting gun.....	5 00	5 51	Paid to court.
July 5, 1889.....	John McCormick.....	Assault.....	5 00	8 75	" "
July 6, 1889.....	Michael McGowan.....	Breach of the Peace.....	01	4 51	" "
Aug. 31, 1889.....	John Flagg.....	" " "	1 00	6 47	" "
Sept. 5, 1889.....	Thomas Bliss.....	Letting hens run at large.....	2 00	5 07	" "
Sept. 20, 1889.....	John Hanley, 3d.....	Exposing dead animals	.....	6 31	Not guilty by court.
Sept. 5, 1889.....	Henry Wescott.....	Breach of the Peace.....	1 00	7 13	Mittimus issued.
Sept. 5, 1889.....	Wm. O'Brine.....	" " "	1 00	7 13	" "

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A. A. KIDDER, Justice of the Peace.

GRAND LIST, $20,880.62.

NOTICE.

The legal voters in Town Meeting in the town of West Rutland are hereby warned to meet at Campbell's Rink on Tuesday the 4th day of March, A. D. 1890, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following matters, to wit:

1. To choose all necessary town officers required by law.

2. To see if the town will vote to raise money by tax or otherwise to pay current expenses and the indebtedness of the town, and to see at what time the same and the highway tax shall be payable.

3. To see if the town will vote a tax upon the grand list to pay the outstanding orders and a part of the interest bearing bonds of the town.

4. To see if the town will vote to raise more than the fifteen cent highway tax required by law.

5. To see if the town will vote a school tax of ten cents on the dollar, as required by law.

6. To see if the town will vote to pay Dennis Monagahan for trouble and expense attending the death and burial of an unknown child.

7. To see if town will vote to give the 1st and 2d constables the jurisdiction of the state in serving civil and criminal processes.

8. To see if the town will vote to accept the provisions of sections 382 to 388 Revised Laws, and amendments and additions thereto, providing for the payment of all taxes direct to the town treasurer.

9. To see if the town will vote any compensation to town officers.

10. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire or rent the present town farm.

11. To see if the town will vote to sell the town farm or any part thereof, and if so to appoint an agent to deed the same.

12. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to cause the preparation of a soldiers' record according to section 2745 of the Revised Laws and to pay the expense thereof from the town treasury.

13. To choose grand and petit jurors.

W. K. SHELDON,
MICHAEL KENNEDY,
M. W. CANNON,
} Selectmen of the Town of West Rutland.

West Rutland, Vt., Feb. 19, 1890.